## CITY OF MILWAUKEE EQUAL RIGHTS COMMISSION

## **Committee Meeting Notes**

Communications Committee:

Meeting Date:

Wednesday, June 2, 2021. 12-1 PM. Virtual meeting.
Rebecca Rabatin, Nathan Guequierre, Kamisha Harris (MWW), Michelle Attendees:

Thompson-Gray (MWW), Mayhoua Moua, Patricia Ruiz Cantu

| Agenda Item |   | Discussion Items  | Action Items  |
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| 1.          | Welcome / Call to<br>Order  | 12:10 PM. Welcomed guests from Milwaukee Water Works. Rebecca has been sending agendas to city staff to raise interest in ERC work. Thanks, Rebecca!  |   |
| 2.          | Priority Activities for<br>Communications<br>Committee from<br>Strategic Plan | Strategic Plan Initiatives:  Social media plan – Check in on status of new commissioners  Community listening methods. Discuss implementation of first listening session, even though we haven't developed a full plan. AAPI will be first community listening target audience; momentum following Commission Hearing. Set target date in July. | Nathan to push this forward. Discuss with Exec Committee – need all hands on deck. Schedule in off month with full commission meeting?                  |
| 3.          | End of Year<br>Reporting  | <ul> <li>Awaiting analysis of complaint<br/>data. Once it's ready, we can<br/>send to Common Council and<br/>Mayor's Office</li> </ul>  |   |
| 4.          | ERC + OEI<br>Communications<br>Coordination                                   | <ul> <li>Staffing update. ER Specialist still pending.</li> <li>Website updates - Testimonials Report from Daisy. Postponed due to Daisy's absence.</li> </ul>  |   |
| 5.          | Community Events<br>Calendar  | We can post calendar to ERC website once we have an ER Specialist in place.   | Nathan to provide most recent version to Rebecca; Rebecca to add L and Ls and work with Diane Lopez to incorporate ERC and committee meeting schedules. |
| 6.          | Committee<br>Organization   | <ul> <li>Time for a concerted effort to<br/>add members; ID expertise<br/>needed</li> <li>Vice Chair – table until new<br/>commissioners are in place</li> </ul>  | City offices are slowly opening; we will keep Comm meetings virtual at noon on the first Wednesday  |

| 7. | Events Outreach | <ul> <li>O/E Toolkit. One-pager description of ERC for handouts at events</li> <li>Juneteenth 19 June 8A-4P. Materials</li> </ul> | Original brochure is very old. Update with new language. include FB contact, show issues in which we have been involved, link to event. NG to draft content; RR to check on graphic design help. Order some giveaway trinkets? We have a banner – PRC can secure it. Needs new brackets to hold it up. Jeff Roman is Milwaukee County OAAA representative. Stickers and candy can get a quick turnaround. Sign Up, staff. NG make check list. |
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| 8. | Adjourn         | > 12:54 PM  |   |